Region 3 GPRA Baseline RCRA Corrective Action Facility

PPL Martins Creek SES (Formerly:PA Power & Light Co.)

6605 Foul Rift Road, Martins Creek, PA 18063 Congressional District 15 EPA ID #: PAD987393212 Final Update

Current Progress at the Site

EPA conducted a thorough site inspection of the Facility, and evaluated past environmental cleanup activities, current operating procedures, and environmental monitoring data. The evaluation included the sampling of well water from adjacent residential properties. Based on this evaluation, EPA believes that no further clean-up action is necessary at the Facility at this time.

Site Description

The Facility is located along the Delaware River, off of Foul Rift Road in Martins Creek, Northampton County, PA. The 700 acre site is a steam-powered electric generating station. It uses two coal-fired and two oil-fired boilers units to produce electricity. The Facility is located in a mixed agricultural/residential area. The Facility generates fly ash and bottom ash, and small quantities of hazardous waste. The ash is disposed of in on-site basins that operate under residual waste permits issued by the PA Department of Environmental Protection. The hazardous waste is disposed of at a permitted off-site facility.

Site Responsibility

RCRA Corrective Action activities at this facility are being conducted under the direction of EPA Region 3 with assistance from the State.

Contaminants

No contaminants above levels of concern exist at the Facility.

Community Interaction

Adjacent residential properties are contacted annually and the well water is sampled.

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